

In the Drawings:

The attached Replacement Sheets of drawings replace the originally filed informal drawings.

Attachment: Twenty-Four (24) Replacement Sheets including FIGS. 1-16.

REMARKS

Responsive to the *Notice to File Corrected Application Papers (Notice of Allowance Mailed)* dated December 6, 2010. Applicant submits the above Amendment and the following Remarks.

The USPTO publication branch ("Publication Branch") object to the following figures submitted on July 26, 2000. The reason for each objection, along with the Applicant's response thereto, is provided below:

Figures 2A-2D: These figures are objected to because while these figures are described in the brief description of the drawings and throughout the specification, they were not included among the figures submitted on July 26, 2000. The Publication Branch requested the Applicant to either supply the omitted figures or remove references to those figures within the specification.

Submitted with this response are Figures 2A-2D.

Figures 15A & 15B: These figures are objected because while these figures are described in the brief description of the drawings and throughout the specification, a single figure entitled "Figure 15" was submitted on July 26, 2000.

Submitted with this response the sub-parts of Figure 15 denoting "A" and "B" are identified. Thus, Figure 15 has now been divided into Figures 15A and 15B in conformity with the brief description of the drawings.

Figures 3-9E and 11-16: These figures were objected to because "numbers, letters, or reference characters in the drawing have been crossed out or are illegibly handwritten."

Submitted herewith are formal drawings of Figures 3-9E and 11-16.

Figure 10: Was objected to as to "the character of the lines, numbers, and letters is poor."

Submitted herewith is a formal drawing of Figure 10.

Figures 9F and 9G: Were objected to for missing the label "FIG."

Submitted herewith is a formal drawings of Figures 9F and 9G labeled with the designation "FIG."

The Applicant respectfully submits that the drawings are now acceptable. Entry of the submitted figures is respectfully requested.

If the Examiner believes, for any reason, that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number provided below.

Although the Applicant does not believe any additional fees are required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any underpayment of fees associated with this communication, including any necessary fees for extension of time or additional claims, and/or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0310.

Respectfully submitted,

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